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Proposed Schedule

Draft Environmental Impact Statement available	May 2006
Public meeting	May 24, 2006
Public comments due	June 19, 2006
Final Environmental Impact Statement available	Fall 2006
Record of Decision	Fall 2006

If BPA decides to proceed with this project, construction could begin as early as fall 2006 and be complete by fall 2007.



BPA Project Purpose

- BPA is responding to a request to interconnect power from two proposed wind developments to the Federal Columbia River Transmission System.
- BPA is required to provide non-discriminatory access to BPA's transmission system to all existing and proposed generation projects.



BPA Project Description

- BPA would need to build and operate:
 - Expand BPA's existing John Day Substation to accommodate the new wind projects
 - A new double circuit 230-kilovolt transmission line connecting Klondike III and Biglow Canyon substations to the expanded BPA John Day Substation
- BPA is proposing two transmission line routes
 - The North Alternative, which is the preferred action
 - The Middle Alternative
- BPA is also considering a No Action Alternative



Land and Realty

- BPA works with affected landowners on transmission line projects and can answer any BPA land questions that you may have.



Environmental Considerations

BPA has developed a draft Environmental Impact Statement which analyzes the environmental impacts of the project on the following resources:

- Land use
- Public services and transportation
- Noise, public safety and health
- Socioeconomics
- Recreational features
- Visual resources
- Water resources, streams and wetlands
- Fish and wildlife
- Cultural resources
- Geology and soils
- Air quality



How to comment

When submitting comments please refer to:

“Klondike III/Biglow Canyon Wind Integration Project”

Write: Bonneville Power Administration
Public Affairs – DKC-7
P.O. Box 14428
Portland, OR 97293-4428

Online: www.bpa.gov/comment/

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Close of comment: June 19, 2006

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